

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Thomas P. Branch Confirmation No.: 3205
 Application No.: 10/720,023 Group No.: 3772
 Filed: November 19, 2003 Examiner: Lewis, Kiandra Charle
 For: ORTHOTIC APPARATUS AND METHOD
 FOR USING SAME

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action dated December 13, 2007.
 2. Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.
 3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):
- | | Total Months
Requested | Fee For Other
Than Small Entity | Fee for
Small Entity |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$460.00 | \$230.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$1,050.00 | \$525.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,640.00 | \$820.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | five months* | \$2,230.00 | \$1,115.00 |

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
- ☒ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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